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K010000	<p>A Life Safety Code Recertification Survey was conducted by the Indiana State Department of Health in accordance with 42 CFR 483.470(j).</p> <p>Survey Date: 11/26/13</p> <p>Facility Number: 000956 Provider Number: 15G442 AIM Number: 100244760</p> <p>Surveyor: Mark Bugni, Life Safety Code Specialist</p> <p>At this Life Safety Code survey, Res Care Community Alternatives SE IN was found not in compliance with Requirements for Participation in Medicaid, 42 CFR Subpart 483.470(j), Life Safety from Fire and the 2000 edition of the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) 101, Life Safety Code (LSC), Chapter 33, Existing Residential Board and Care Occupancies.</p> <p>This one story facility was fully sprinkled with the exception of the staff office, the storage room, the air handler room, the east bathroom and the hot water heater room. The facility has a fire alarm system with smoke detection in the corridors, in common living areas and hard wired</p>		K010000				

LABORATORY DIRECTOR'S OR PROVIDER/SUPPLIER REPRESENTATIVE'S SIGNATURE

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Any deficiency statement ending with an asterisk (\*) denotes a deficiency which the institution may be excused from correcting providing it is determined that other safeguards provide sufficient protection to the patients. (see instructions.) Except for nursing homes, the findings stated above are disclosable 90 days following the date of survey whether or not a plan of correction is provided. For nursing homes, the above findings and plans of correction are disclosable 14 days following the date these documents are made available to the facility. If deficiencies are cited, an approved plan of correction is requisite to continued program participation.

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	<p>smoke detectors in all client sleeping rooms. The facility has a capacity of 8 and had a census of 8 at the time of this survey.</p> <p>Calculation of the Evacuation Difficulty Score (E-Score) using NFPA 101A, Alternative Approaches to Life Safety, Chapter 6, rated the facility Prompt with an E-Score of 0.32.</p> <p>Quality Review by Robert Booher, Life Safety Code Specialist-Medical Surveyor on 12/03/13.</p> <p>The facility was found not in compliance with the aforementioned regulatory requirements as evidenced by the following:</p>						

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K01S056	<p>483.470(j)(1)(i) LIFE SAFETY CODE STANDARD PROMPT Where an automatic sprinkler system is installed, for either total or partial building coverage, the system is in accordance with Section 9.7, 33.2.3.5.2 and activates the fire alarm system in accordance with 33.2.3.4.1. The adequacy of the water supply is documented to the authority having jurisdiction.</p> <p>Exception No. 1: In prompt evacuation facilities, an automatic sprinkler system in accordance with NFPA 13D, Standard for the Installation of Sprinkler Systems in One and two Family Dwellings and Manufactured Homes, is permitted. Automatic sprinklers are not required in closets not exceeding 24 sq. ft. and in bathrooms not exceeding 55 sq. ft., provided that such spaces are finished with lath and plaster or materials providing a 15 minute thermal barrier.</p> <p>Exception No. 2: Not applicable</p> <p>Exception No. 3: In prompt and slow evacuation capability facilities where an automatic sprinkler system is in accordance with NFPA 13, Standard for the Installation of Sprinkler Systems, automatic sprinklers are not required in closets not exceeding 24 sq. ft and in bathrooms not exceeding 55 sq. ft., provided that such spaces are finished with lath and plaster or material providing a 15 minute thermal barrier.</p> <p>Exception No. 4: In prompt and slow evacuation capability facilities up to and including four stories in height, systems in accordance with NFPA 13R, Standard for the Installation of Sprinkler Systems in</p>						

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	<p>Residential Occupancies up to and Including Four Stories in Height, are permitted.</p> <p>Exception No. 5: Not applicable</p> <p>Exception No. 6: Initiation of the fire alarm system is not required for existing installations in accordance with 33.2.3.5.5.</p> <p>SLOW Where an automatic sprinkler system is installed, for either total or partial building coverage, the system is in accordance with Section 9.7 and activates the fire alarm system in accordance with 33.2.3.4.1. The adequacy of the water supply is documented to the authority having jurisdiction.</p> <p>Exception No. 1: Not Applicable</p> <p>Exception No. 2: Not Applicable</p> <p>Exception No. 3: In prompt and slow evacuation capability facilities where an automatic sprinkler system is in accordance with NFPA 13, Standard for the Installation of Sprinkler Systems, automatic sprinklers are not required in closets not exceeding 24 sq. ft. and in bathrooms not exceeding 55 sq. ft., provided that such spaces are finished with lath and plaster or material providing a 15 minute thermal barrier.</p> <p>Exception No. 4: In prompt and slow evacuation capability facilities up to and including four stories in height, systems in accordance with NFPA 13R, Standard for the Installation of Sprinkler Systems in Residential Occupancies up to and Including Four Stories in Height, are permitted.</p> <p>Exception No. 5: Not Applicable</p>						

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	<p>Exception No. 6: Initiation of the fire alarm system is not required for existing installations in accordance with 33.2.3.5.5.</p> <p>IMPRACTICAL Where an automatic sprinkler system is installed, for either total or partial building coverage, the system is in accordance with Section 9.7 and activates the fire alarm system in accordance with 33.2.3.4.1. The adequacy of the water supply is documented to the authority having jurisdiction. 33.2.3.5.2.</p> <p>Exception No. 1: Not Applicable.</p> <p>Exception No. 2: In slow and impractical evacuation capability facilities, an automatic sprinkler system in accordance with NFPA 13D, Standard for the Installation of Sprinkler Systems in One and Two Family Dwellings and Manufactured Homes, with a 30 minute water supply, is permitted. All habitable areas and closets are sprinklered. Automatic sprinklers are not required in bathrooms not exceeding 55 sq. ft., provided that such spaces are finished with lath and plaster or materials providing a 15 minute thermal barrier.</p> <p>Exception No. 3: Not Applicable.</p> <p>Exception No. 4: Not Applicable.</p> <p>Exception No. 5: In impractical evacuation capability facilities up to and including four stories in height, systems in accordance with NFPA 13R, Standard for the Installation of Sprinkler Systems in Residential Occupancies up to and Including Four Stories in Height, are permitted. All</p>						

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	<p>habitable areas and closets are sprinklered. Automatic sprinklers are not required in bathrooms not exceeding 55 sq. ft., provided that such spaces are finished with lath and plaster or materials providing a 15 minute thermal barrier.</p> <p>Exception No. 6: Initiation of the fire alarm system is not required for existing installations in accordance with 33.2.3.5.5. Based on record review, observation and interview; the facility failed to ensure 1 of 1 sprinkler gauges was tested every five years or replaced. LSC 33.2.3.5.2 requires sprinkler systems to be in accordance with 9.7 and 9.7.5 requires automatic sprinkler systems be inspected, tested and maintained in accordance with NFPA 25, Standard for the Inspection, Testing, and Maintenance of Water-Based Fire Protection Systems. NFPA 25, Section 2-3.2 states gauges shall be replaced every five years or tested every five years by comparison with a calibrated gauge. Gauges not accurate to within 3 percent of the full scale shall be recalibrated or replaced. This deficient practice could affect all clients in the facility.</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>Based on record review with the residential coordinator and home manager on 11/26/13 at 11:15 a.m., the Simplex inspection reports dated 11/18/13,</p>	K01S056	K0056 The facility has contacted Simplex Grinnel and the sprinkler system gauges are scheduled to be replaced at the home to meet the requirements of the Life Safety Code. The Environmental Services Manager will keep track of the sprinkler system gauges replacement dates via a tracking spreadsheet to ensure that the sprinkler system gauges are replaced every five years per Life Safety Code standard.	12/26/2013			

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	09/03/13, and 08/27/12 did not indicate if the sprinkler riser water gauge had been replaced or list the last date the sprinkler gauge was recalibrated. Based on observation of the sprinkler gauge in the sprinkler riser room in the laundry room on 11/26/13 at 11:55 a.m. with the residential coordinator and home manager, the sprinkler gauge did not have a date on the face of the gauge or have any date written on the gauge to indicate a replacement date. This was verified by the residential coordinator and home manager at the time of observation and the exit conference on 11/26/13 at 12:25 p.m.						